



LARGEST IN THE CITY.

## Purely Business!

The columns of a newspaper represent a cash value. No publisher can afford to give advertising "notices" free any more than a merchant can lose over his counter free gifts of dry goods or shoes. A newspaper is a legitimate business concern. Its columns are its stock in trade, and advertisements should be paid for, no matter in what part of the paper they appear.

## THE Verdict

It is the handsomest line of Clothing ever found in Maysville. If this is not the exact truth, then hundreds of customers who have looked through our stock and bought their spring outfit deceive themselves for the reason that the verdict

## Is the Voluntary Expression of Good Dressers

who have favored us with their patronage this spring. Our trade ever since the first of March has justified us; it adds from day to day the newest production in everything that pertains to our various departments. Look in our windows; they indicate the proper styles in

## CLOTHING

## SHOES

## AND FURNISHINGS.

From you get the best the manufacturers produce, and our prices are most reasonable. You can buy a good All Wool Man's Suit for \$5; a good English Clay Worsted Suit for \$8; a splendid All Wool Cheviot Suit for \$10; a made-to-order imported Cheviot Suit for \$12. Our \$15 line of Tailor-made Suits in all the latest novelties in Cheviots, Serges, Thibets, Clays and Viennas are simply matchless. And \$18 or \$20 buys Suits of the kind that only the best of custom tailors—the fellows that charge \$40 and \$50—can equal in material, trimmings and making.

Our Smith & Stoughton and Bush & Packard

## SHOES

(see them in our show windows) are THE shoes for people who fancy nice, comfortable footwear. When the weather turns warm we will talk to you about our 1898 CRASH SUITS.

## HECHINGER &amp; CO

LEADERS IN FINE CLOTHING AND SHOES.

## BEE HIVE



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More Than 100 Dozen

## Shirt Waists!

Have reached us in the past fortnight. Our buying in such large quantities is to your interest. Any manufacturer will "squeeze" the price when you take his goods in large lots. We can undersell the ordinary dealers because we underbuy them. The difference in cost is your profit. As to Shirt Waists, we have them in finest quality Gingham, Percale and Cheviot Cloths. All made with bias and full fronts in sizes ranging from 22 to 44. At 40c, 50c, 75c and \$1. Our line is equal to those you'll pay a third more for elsewhere. Observe our window display.

## HOSIERY HINTS.

Our interest in a large hosiery mill gives us a rare opportunity in hosiery selling. "Hull" said. We sell a full Seamless Black Hose at 40c, and a regular 15c quality in Tan or Black at 10c, or 3 pairs for 25c. A great line of Children's Fancy and Boys' Bicycle Hose at 15c and 20c. Extra special for the week is a regular 25c Ladies' Hose, full seamless, absolutely fast color, made of best Waco Yarn and put up 3 pairs in a box, at the ridiculously low price of 30c. for the 3 pairs. Ask to see these.

## CHILDREN'S HEADWEAR.

Our line of these cannot be equaled in this vicinity. Beginning with a pretty Gingham Sunbonnet for 10c, our stock includes a great variety of Caps and Bonnets, some made of mull, with wide embroidery and straw braid trimming, at prices ranging from 10c to \$1.75, and others made of silk at 10c, 25c, and 50c. Extra good is a real French Cap of 75c. value at 50c.

## LADIES' KID GLOVES.

Please remember that all of our \$1 and \$1.25 Ladies' Kid Gloves are guaranteed. Should they rip or tear while trying on another pair for the asking. Our new stock includes all the latest and noblest shades, and a perfect fit assured.

## ROSENAU BROS.,

KINGS OF LOW PRICES.

PROPRIETORS BEE HIVE.

## MAYSVILLE WEATHER.

What We May Expect For the Next Twenty-four Hours.

## THE LEDGER'S WEATHER SIGNALS.

White streamer—FAIR:  
Blue—RAIN or SNOW:  
With Black ABOVE—TWILL WARMER  
grow.  
If Black's BENEATH—COLDER'll  
be;  
Unless Black's shown—no change  
we'll see

The above forecasts are made for a period of thirty-six hours, ending at 8 o'clock to-morrow evening.



If you have friends visiting you, or if you are going away on a visit, please drop us a note to that effect.

Mr. Henry Power has been down from Paris a few days visiting relatives.

Miss Lucy Reese of the county is the guest of Miss Allie Clark of Millersburg.

Mrs. Nannie Hill Wilson is visiting her sister, Mrs. James Hall of Milwaukee, Wis.

Miss Nannie Peed of Mayslick has been the guest of relatives at Millersburg several days.

Miss Edna Hunter, who has been taking a course of elocution from Mrs. C. M. Best of Millersburg, has returned home, accompanied by her sister, Miss Flora, who has been the guest of Mrs. Robert Barnes.

All matter for publication must be handed in before 9 o'clock in the morning of each day.

If you have an item of news, please call up THE LEDGER, Telephone 33, and send it in.

## Smoke "Prince Henry."

Prayer-meeting tonight at the Central Presbyterian Church. All cordially invited

George Russell, aged 12, monkeyed with an electric light wire at Portsmouth. He's dead.

Rev. W. S. Keene, for the past five years Pastor of the First Christian Church at Winchester, is dead.

All varieties choice Northern Seed Potatoes for sale by  
MAYSVILLE PRODUCE CO.

Mail Carrier Heimberger, who opened a letter at Delaware, O., because the address on the envelope was imperfect, lost his job.

Sam E. Davidson of West Union, Editor of The Adams County New Era, has received assurances from Washington of an appointment as Indian Agent.

The Committee on Arrangements for entertaining the Grand Commandery will meet at Masonic Temple at 7 o'clock this evening, and every member is requested to be present.

Thirty-five years make a generation. That is how long Adolph Fisher of Zanesville, O., suffered from piles. He was cured by using three boxes of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. H. W. Ray, adjoining Postoffice.

Maysville has one patriotic young lady. Miss Cora B. Ort wrote to Colonel M. A. Cochran of the Sixth Regiment, Fort Thomas, tendering her services as nurse, and offering to accompany the troops to the war.

## Smoke "Prince Henry."

Soda Water at Chenoweth's Drugstore. Just received a full line of Trimmed Millinery by Mrs. L. V. Davis.

Teeth extracted without pain. Dr. J. W. Cartmell, over Harry Taylor's. Phone 60.

Mr. J. H. Cooper of Robertson county has rented the house of Mr. George N. Crawford on Lee street.

The farmer, the mechanic and the bicycle rider are liable to unexpected cuts and bruises. DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve is the best thing to keep on hand. It heals quickly and is a well known cure for piles. H. W. Ray, adjoining Postoffice.

## Smoke "Prince Henry."

Soda Water at Chenoweth's Drugstore. Ice Cream Soda Water at Henry W. Ray's Postoffice Drugstore today.

Etna Life; special rates to wheelmen. Accident Insurance. ED. ALEXANDER.

Mrs. L. V. Davis has just received a new invoice of the very latest novelties in ladies' headwear.

Squire S. E. Mastin of Kennard was in town yesterday, driving one of the finest horses in the county, Diamond King, seven years old and who has taken sixteen premiums out of eighteen rings in which he has been shown.

## DECLARATION OF CONGRESS.

Words That Lay the Corner Stone of a New Republic in the Western Hemisphere.

WHEREAS, The abhorrent conditions which have existed for more than three years in the island of Cuba, so near our own borders, have shocked the moral sense of the people of the United States, have been a disgrace to Christian civilization, culminating, as they have, in the destruction of a United States battle-ship with 266 of its officers and crew while on a friendly visit in the harbor of Havana, and cannot longer be endured, as has been set forth by the President of the United States in his message to Congress of April 11th, 1898, upon which the action of Congress was invited; therefore, be it resolved,

First, That the people of the island of Cuba are, and of right ought to be, free and independent.

Second, That it is the duty of the United States to demand, and the Government of the United States does hereby demand, that the Government of Spain at once relinquish its authority and government in the island of Cuba and withdraw its land and naval forces from Cuba and Cuban waters.

Third, That the President of the United States be, and he hereby is, directed and empowered to use the entire land and naval forces of the United States, and to call into actual service of the United States the militia of the several states, to such extent as may be necessary to carry these resolutions into effect.

Fourth, That the United States hereby disclaims any disposition or intention to exercise sovereignty, jurisdiction or control over said island except for the pacification thereof, and asserts its determination, when that is accomplished, to leave the government and control of the island to its people.

Messrs. Huff & Piper are improving the residence of Mr. James H. Cummings on Forest avenue.

John Cambeis has sold to Charles Wetzel a lot on Commerce street between Fourth and Fifth for \$225.

It was Deputy Sheriff J. R. Roberson who arrested Edward DeWitt for stealing the horse of Mr. William H. Case.

The inventory and appraisal of the personality of the late Mrs. Eliza J. Bradbury has been returned at \$280 in cash.

Mr. Joseph Easton has gone to Manchester to act as agent of the Western and Southern Life Insurance Company.

Rev. J. C. Molloy, Pastor of the Central Presbyterian Church, will assist Rev. W. T. Spears in a protracted meeting at Washington.

See Murphy's line of Shirt Waist Sets. Also Gents' Cuff Buttons, Stuffs, Chains and Charms. A beautiful line of Colored Silk Umbrellas.

Rev. I. P. Trotter, formerly Pastor of the First Baptist Church of this city, has entered upon his new work at the Bardonia Baptist Church.

The battle-ship Alabama will be launched May 18th. Miss Morgan, daughter of Senator Morgan of Alabama, will christen the ship.

Collector and Treasurer J. W. Fitzgerald is planning a scheme that will be a hair-raiser to those who think they can own property without paying taxes like other people.

A torpid liver robs you of ambition and ruins your health. DeWitt's Little Early Risers cleanse the liver, cure constipation and all stomach and liver troubles. H. W. Ray, adjoining Postoffice.

Fire in Louisville destroyed the millinery store of Mrs. A. E. Porter, entailing a loss of \$12,000, with three-fourths insurance. Mrs. Porter is a granddaughter of the late Rev. Jedediah Foster of this county.

Rev. W. Harry Felts was sentenced at Leitchfield to six years in the Penitentiary. He was indicted for having married, within two years, three different women—and there weren't a great many "eligibles" in that neck of woods, either.

## Notice.

All members of the escort squad will please meet at their Temple next Thursday evening, April 21st, at 7 o'clock sharp. By order  
THOMAS A. KEITH, C. G.

Portfolio No. 3 of Uncle Sam's Navy is ready for delivery. Bring in your Coupon and 10 cents and get it. You can get a copy of Nos. 1 and 2 also, on same terms.

For Paper Hanging get C. F. Fisk. Can be seen at Ryder's Paint Store.

Mrs. M. Archdeacon has returned from Cincinnati with a full line of Summer Millinery.

Sylvanus D. Thompson has qualified as Administrator of Mrs. Eliza J. Bradbury, with C. L. Saltee as surety.

Rev. J. H. Moore continues his sermons at M. E. Church, Forest avenue. Subject for tonight, "We Should Know Why Men Weep."

The Police Judge is moving on them. Frank Adams, a colored boy who is big enough and old enough to know better, has been having lots of fun jumping on the streetcars and throwing off the trolley-pole. Yesterday he was before Judge Wadsworth, and now he will have the fun of paying \$4.90 for his sport.

The L and N Railroad has closed one of the largest contracts in years for moving troops. It will carry 613 men from the Tenth Cavalry of St. Paul, 1,000 from Nebraska, 423 from St. Louis, 370 from Jeffersonville, besides the Fort Thomas troops and a great number of animals, a large quantity of supplies and baggage.

Mr. Harvey Lee and bride of Carlisle passed through the city last evening en route to Cincinnati, where they will spend their honeymoon. They were married yesterday afternoon. Mr. Lee is one of Carlisle's most highly respected young business men, while his bride is a charming young lady of one of Nicholas county's oldest and best families.

Yesterday was the anniversary of the first bloodshed in the Revolution, the Battle of Lexington, fought in 1775. It was also the day on which the Sixth Massachusetts Regiment was fired on by a Baltimore mob in 1861; on which Uncle Sam ordered Spain to get off the island of Cuba, and on which the water was turned on at Fountain Place in 1898. So it will be seen that April 19th is a red-headed day in American history.



Maysville Chapter No. 9, R. A. M., will meet in called communication this evening at 7 o'clock for work in Royal Arch Degree. A full attendance is desired. Visiting Companions cordially invited.  
A. H. THOMPSON, H. P.  
R. P. JENKINS, Secretary.

## Horses Wanted.

Mr. Joe Kindig of York, Pa., will be at Mose Daulton & Bro.'s stable, Maysville, Ky., on Monday, April 25th, and will pay the highest market price for good, sound Horses or Mares from four to six years old, well broken and in good health. Bring in good ones and get the money for them. Don't forget the date.

## We All Know

There is a popular belief that eyes cannot be properly fitted outside of an oculist's office, but we are constantly proving the incorrectness of that belief. If you have a dull pain about the eyeball, or if, when reading, the letters seem to run together, call and be relieved. We charge nothing for examination, and guarantee satisfaction in every case.

BALLENGER,  
Jeweler and Optician.

## THE PROPER THING.

How to Make the Old City Graveyard an Attractive Resort.

For more than half a century the old Graveyard in rear of the Opera-house has been a sadly neglected spot.

There are resting therein the ashes of the Boones, the Grants, the Armstrongs, the Lees, the Mitchells, the Outtens and Maysville's first Mayor, with scores of other old pioneers.

Some years ago the Washington Fire Company took enough interest in the sacred spot to clean it up, since which it has not received the slightest care.

The tombs are fallen to pieces, head stones are scattered in all directions, and neglect and decay are written everywhere.

With the completion of the new Opera-house, the North side of the inclosure will have perfect protection by a solid brick wall more than sixty feet high.

After that THE LEDGER suggests that the grounds be thoroughly cleaned; the trees trimmed and some of the old ones cut away; the tombs restored and headstones replaced; the ground sown in grass; flowers planted; walks laid out and seats placed under the big trees; and when these things are done let the fence in rear of the Public Library Building be removed, and the Graveyard become a part and parcel of the Mason County Historical Society's grounds.

The expense of these changes would be trifling, and what is now an unsightly spot would be converted into a most attractive place.

What better or more appropriate disposition could be made of the resting place of the city's pioneers?

Ice Cream Soda at Traxel's.

## MISSSES' and CHILDREN'S

## Chocolate

## HIGH SHOES.

J. HENRY PECOR.

## BRIGHT NEW Dress Goods!

A score may speak for hundreds of these pretty fabrics at delightfully easy prices. Taste may gather much beauty in this store for very little cost, and so great is the showing in black and colors any reasonable want is assured fulfillment.

At 25c.—Fancy Cheviot made in imitation of the Scotch effects. Strictly all wool. Six colorings.

At 39c.—Irregular checks in color mixtures. Six colors. Usually priced at 50c.

At 50c.—English Cloth. A substantial tough wearing fabric. Excellent for utility gowns and bicycle wear. Ten color mixtures.

At 50c.—Two-color Fancy Armure. The small figures look almost like silk. Seven colorings.

At 29c.—All-wool Serge. A staple in the dress goods family. Eight colors. Strictly all wool and excellent weight.

HERE AND THERE—Daintily embroidered Handkerchiefs, slightly soiled; they were used in store decoration. Reduced from 20c. to 12c. Not a great many. Pretty Madras Ties, 5c. Fancy Silk Ties, 2 yards long, plain or knotted fringe, 39c. White Pique Ties, waist length, cut out, ready to hem, 15c. Ribbon Remnants—Short ends from the whole ribbon stock marked at prices to make them interesting to all woman-kind. Ribbons for bows, for ties, for sashes—little lengths at little prices.

## D. HUNT &amp; SON.